



**LAC Probation Hotline (855) 563-7925**



**VITAL STATS**

**Name:** BATISTE, JAMES

**Age:** 45

**Race and Gender:** BLACK MALE

**Height:** 5'11"

**Weight:** 175

**Distinguishing marks/characteristics:** TAT HEAD; TAT CHIN;  
TAT ARM; TAT ABDOM; SC NECK; TAT RF ARM; TAT L ARM;  
TAT R ARM; TAT L SHLD

**Gang Affiliation:** BLOODS

**Last Known Geographic Location/Address:** LOS ANGELES

**Warrant Confirmed (Check Box):** ☒

**NARRATIVE:**

James Batiste is an active gang member with an extensive adult criminal history that began at the age of 19. His convictions include possession of a firearm by felon, grand theft auto, evading a peace officer, domestic violence with injury, battery, burglary, possession of controlled substance for sale, resisting arrest, contempt and failing to report. He has served multiple incarcerations, the longest being a 32 month term for possession of controlled substance for sale. Batiste was released from state prison to the supervision of the Los Angeles County Probation Department on September 27, 2014. Under the Governor's Public Safety Realignment Act of 2011, better known as Assembly Bill 109 (AB 109) the responsibility of lower-level offenders was shifted from the State to Los Angeles County. He subsequently failed to report to his probation officer and an arrest warrant was issued in December 2014 after he absconded from post release community supervision (PRCS). Batiste qualified to be released to the supervision of probation, under AB 109, because his current commitment offense for evading peace officer is defined as non-serious and non-violent under the California penal code. His criminal history, gang member status and current failure to comply with the terms of release make him a most wanted. If you know his whereabouts please contact...

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